THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL): The bank-wise and year-wise details of the loans disbursed by all the banks in the State of Meghalaya for agricultural purposes to the farmers, small-scale industries and artisans during the last three years, as reported by Reserve Bank of India, arc given in the Annexure. *[See* Appendix 189, Annexure No. 117]

Fund from ADB and International Financial Institutions for Maharashtra

4666. SHRI VIJAY J. DARDA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of loans sanctioned by Asian Development Bank and other International Financial Institutions during 1999-2000 for projects in various sectors, sector-wise and actual utilisation thereof State-wise in general and Maharashtra in particular;

(b) the details of funds unutilised as on 31st March, 2000, sector-wise;

(c) the details of action taken/proposed to be taken tor optimum utilisation of funds sanctioned by these institutions; and

(d) the details of funds likely to be available from ADB and other International Financial Institutions during the current year to Maharashtra, sector-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL): (a) Details are given in Annexure *[See* Appendix 189, Annexure No. 118] No loan was sanctioned in which Maharashtra is a sole beneficiary. However, like other States, Maharashtra is beneficiary under Multi-state and Central projects, too;

(b) Funds are utilized for the period of project cycle Details of funds which are-unutilized as on 31.3.2000 are given in the enclosed Statement *(See* below).

(c) Some of the steps taken by the Government to improve aid utilization are ensuring adequate provisioning for externally aided projects, streamlining of procurement procedures, disintermediation on flow of external aid to Central Public Sector Undertakings, quarterly review with Executing Agencies, setting up of a Project

Management Unit in the Department of Economic Affairs, Strengthening Project Management Units/Project Monitoring Cells in nine States and five Central Ministries, appointment of Nodal Officer for the States and Regular review of projects with respect to quality at entry. A System of monitoring the projects on the basis of quarterly milestones of important activities has also been introduced.

(d) A list of projects for which these funds are likely to be available is given in the enclosed statement.

Statement-I

Details of Funds Unutilised

(as on 31.3.2000)

SI. No.	Sector	Unutilised Balance (Rs. Crore)
1.	Agriculture & Rural Development	3875.64
2.	Environment and Forestry	854.47
3.	Energy Sector-Coal	1534.89
4.	Energy Sector-Power	3493.69
5.	Energy Sector-Oil	441.01
6.	Energy Sector-Non Conventional	562.38
7.	Industry and Finance	2191.17
8.	Infrastructure-Railway	304.14
9.	Infrastructure-Road	2322.82
10.	Infrastructure-Port	394.33
11.	Infrastructure-General	852.98
12.	Water Resources Management	3916.69
13.	Social Sector	12781.04
14.	Urban Development	2260.16
15.	Structural Adj. Sector/F. Disb.	1089.00
	TOTAL	36874.41

STATEMENT-II

Details of Funds Likely to be available from ADB and Other International Institutions During 2000-01 to Maharashr.

SI. No.	Name of the project	Sector	Source	Date of Signing/ Approval	Terminal Date of Dish	Currency	Loan/ Grant Amount (in million)
1.	Bombay Sewage Disposal	Urban Dev.	IBRD	28.12.95	31.12.2002	US S	167.000
2.	Maharashtra Forestry	Environment	IDA	29.1.92	31.3.2000	US S	107.820
3.	Maharashtra Health System Dev.	Social	IDA	14:1.99	31.3.2005	US $	134.000
4.	Maharashtra Rural Credit	Social	IFAD	1.6.93	30.9.2000	US $	29.4-12